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Where is Broadband Available?

A complete list of Massachusetts municipalities and level of broadband available in each municipality

BROADBAND DEFINITION: Broadband is a connection that can deliver at least 1Mbps download service. As an example, a broadband connection includes cable, fiber, DSL, WiMax, and Wifi but DOES NOT include dial up or satellite.

For years, legislators and regulators have been frustrated by the lack of comprehensive data on broadband availability in Massachusetts. As a result, MTC's John Adams Innovation Institute has assembled the following data for all 351 Massachusetts municipalities. We recognize that there are variations of broadband availability within a city/town and we have done our best to capture these variations in our data set.

We have classified municipalities according to their access to broadband service based on the following criteria:

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| Unserved | The entire town has no access to broadband |
| Underserved | Broadband is only available in a limited area. Even if the data indicates that a city/town has cable or DSL, if limited coverage is self reported, a city/town is classified as Underserved. |
| Monopoly | Access to only 1 broadband provider |
| Duopoly | Access to 2 broadband providers |
| Competitive | Access to 3 or more broadband providers |

The following is a definition/description of each of the data columns:

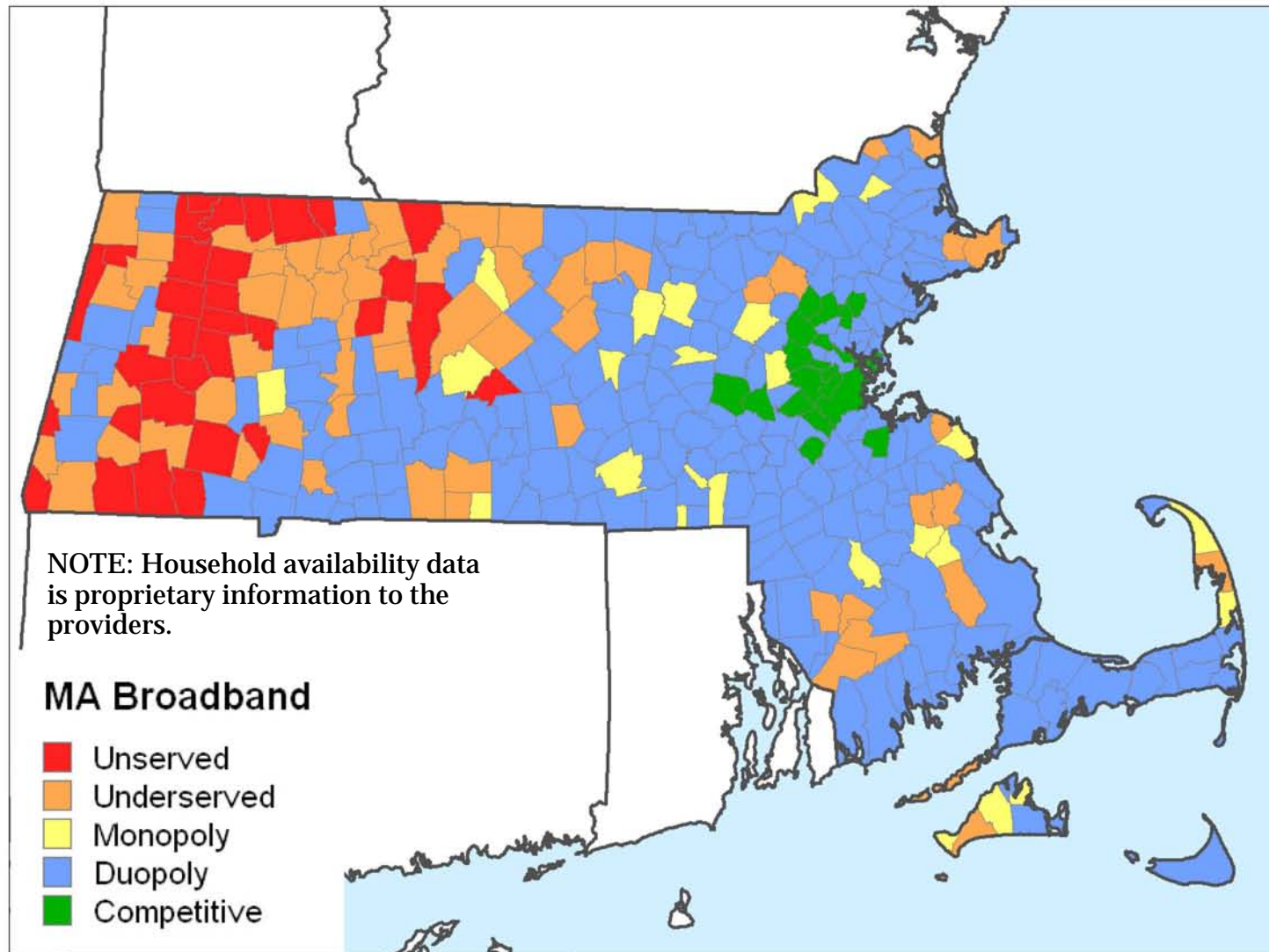
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| Cable Company | The primary cable company in a city/town. We have assumed that the cable company is delivering both cable TV service as well as cable broadband service |
| Cable Overbuild | When a company literally lays cable on top of the cable of another existing cable provider |
| Fiber to the Premise (FTTP) | When a provider runs fiber optic cable directly to the premise to deliver broadband service. This is currently the fastest available broadband connection |
| DSL | A technology that delivers broadband over existing copper phone lines |
| Wifi | A broadband service delivered wirelessly using a specific protocol, 802.11 also known as wireless fidelity (wifi) technology |
| Town Hall | Indicates whether the city/town currently has broadband |
| Notes | Allows for self reporting from municipalities |

We are still in the process of gathering data, and a blank data cell indicates that we have not yet obtained information for the specific town and technology. If you know any of this data to be incorrect, we invite you to contact us at burnes@masstech.org.

(for detailed sources see the end of the document)

Broadband Availability in Massachusetts Municipalities

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Key **Unserved**
Underserved
Monopoly

| Town | Cable Company | Cable Overbuild | Fiber to the Premise (FTTP) | DSL | WiFi | Town Hall* | Category | Notes: |
|--------------|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|-----|------|------------|-------------|---------------------------------------|
| Abington | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Acton | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Acushnet | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Adams | Time Warner Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Agawam | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Alford | No | No | No | No | | Yes | Unserved | T-1 grant funds run out 9/07 |
| Amesbury | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Amherst | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Andover | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Aquinnah | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Monopoly | |
| Arlington | Comcast Cable | RCN | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Competitive | |
| Ashburnham | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Ashby | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Ashfield | No | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Ashland | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Athol | Time Warner Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Attleborough | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Auburn | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Avon | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Ayer | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Barnstable | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Barre | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Becket | No | No | No | No | | Yes | Unserved | |
| Bedford | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Belchertown | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Bellingham | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Monopoly | |
| Belmont | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Berkley | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Berlin | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Bernardston | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Beverly | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Billerica | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported (ISDN line) |
| Blackstone | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Blandford | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | |
| Bolton | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Boston | Comcast Cable | RCN | No | Yes | Yes | Yes | Competitive | |
| Bourne | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Boxborough | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Boxford | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Boylston | Charter Communications | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Braintree | Comcast Cable | BELD | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Competitive | |
| Brewster | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Bridgewater | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Brimfield | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | No | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Brockton | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Brookfield | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Brookline | Comcast Cable | RCN | No | Yes | Yes | Yes | Competitive | |
| Buckland | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Burlington | Comcast Cable | RCN | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Competitive | |
| Cambridge | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Canton | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Carlisle | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Carver | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | No | Underserved | |
| Charlemont | No | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Charlton | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Chatham | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Chelmsford | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Chelsea | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Cheshire | Time Warner Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Chester | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | No | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Chesterfield | No | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Chicopee | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Chilmark | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Clarksburg | Time Warner Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Clinton | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | | Duopoly | |
| Cohasset | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Colrain | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | T1 grant funds run out 7/07 |

Where is Broadband available?

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| Town | Cable Company | Cable Overbuild | Fiber to the Premise (FTTP) | DSL | WiFi | Town Hall* | Category | Notes: |
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| Concord | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Monopoly | |
| Conway | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Cummington | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | |
| Dalton | Time Warner Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Danvers | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Dartmouth | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Dedham | Comcast Cable | RCN | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Competitive | |
| Deerfield | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Dennis | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Dighton | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | No | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Douglas | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Dover | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Dracut | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Dudley | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Dunstable | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Duxbury | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| East Bridgewater | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| East Brookfield | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| East Longmeadow | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Eastham | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Monopoly | Limited coverage reported |
| Easthampton | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | | Duopoly | |
| Easton | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Edgartown | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Egremont | No | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Very limited coverage from DSL in town and WISP in south |
| Erving | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Essex | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Everett | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Fairhaven | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Fall River | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Falmouth | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Fitchburg | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Florida | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | |
| Foxborough | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Framingham | Comcast Cable | RCN | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Competitive | |
| Franklin | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Freetown | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | No | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Gardner | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Georgetown | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Gill | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Gloucester | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Goshen | No | No | No | No | | Yes | Unserved | T1 grant funds run out 7/07 |
| Gosnold | No | No | No | No | Yes | Yes | Underserved | Local WISP |
| Grafton | Charter Communications | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Granby | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Granville | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Great Barrington | Time Warner Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Greenfield | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Groton | Charter Communications | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Groveland | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Monopoly | |
| Hadley | Charter Communications | No | No | No | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Halifax | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | | Monopoly | |
| Hamilton | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Hampden | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Hancock | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | |
| Hanover | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Hanson | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Hardwick | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Monopoly | |
| Harvard | Charter Communications | No | No | No | | | Monopoly | |
| Harwich | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Hatfield | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Haverhill | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Hawley | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | |
| Heath | No | No | No | No | | Yes | Unserved | T1 grant funds run out 7/07 |
| Hingham | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |

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| Town | Cable Company | Cable Overbuild | Fiber to the Premise (FTTP) | DSL | WiFi | Town Hall* | Category | Notes: |
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| Hinsdale | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Holbrook | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Holden | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Holland | Cox Communications | No | No | No | | Yes | Monopoly | |
| Holliston | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Holyoke | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Hopedale | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Monopoly | |
| Hopkinton | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | | Duopoly | |
| Hubbardston | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Hudson | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Monopoly | |
| Hull | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Huntington | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Ipswich | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | No | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Kingston | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Lakeville | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Lancaster | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Monopoly | |
| Lanesborough | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Lawrence | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Lee | Time Warner Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Leicester | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Lenox | Time Warner Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Leominster | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Leverett | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | |
| Lexington | Comcast Cable | RCN | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Competitive | |
| Leyden | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | |
| Lincoln | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Littleton | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Longmeadow | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Lowell | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Ludlow | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Lunenburg | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Lynn | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Lynnfield | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Malden | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Manchester-by-the-Sea | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Mansfield | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | | Duopoly | |
| Marblehead | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Marion | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Marlborough | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | | Duopoly | |
| Marshfield | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | No | Duopoly | Town Hall Survey Potentially Misunderstood |
| Mashpee | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Mattapoisett | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Maynard | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Medfield | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Medford | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | | Duopoly | |
| Medway | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Melrose | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Mendon | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Merrimac | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | No | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Methuen | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | | Monopoly | |
| Middleborough | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | | Duopoly | |
| Middlefield | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | |
| Middleton | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Milford | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Millbury | Charter Communications | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Millis | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Millville | Charter Communications | No | No | No | | Yes | Monopoly | |
| Milton | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Monroe | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | |
| Monson | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Montague | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Monterey | No | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Montgomery | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | |
| Mount Washington | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | |
| Nahant | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |

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| Town | Cable Company | Cable Overbuild | Fiber to the Premise (FTTP) | DSL | WiFi | Town Hall* | Category | Notes: |
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| Nantucket | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Natick | Comcast Cable | RCN | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Competitive | |
| Needham | Comcast Cable | RCN | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Competitive | |
| New Ashford | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | T1 grant funds run out 11/07 |
| New Bedford | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | | Duopoly | |
| New Braintree | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | |
| New Marlborough | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | T1 grant funds run out 9/07 |
| New Salem | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | |
| Newbury | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Newburyport | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Newton | Comcast Cable | RCN | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Competitive | |
| Norfolk | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| North Adams | Time Warner Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| North Andover | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| North Attleborough | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| North Brookfield | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| North Reading | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Northampton | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Northborough | Charter Communications | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Northbridge | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Northfield | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Norton | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Norwell | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Norwood | Comcast Cable | Norwood Light | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Competitive | |
| Oak Bluffs | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Monopoly | |
| Oakham | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Orange | Time Warner Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Orleans | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Otis | No | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Oxford | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Palmer | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Paxton | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Peabody | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | | Duopoly | |
| Pelham | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Underserved | Limited Coverage Reported |
| Pembroke | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Pepperell | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Peru | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | |
| Petersham | No | No | No | Yes | | No | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Phillipston | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Monopoly | |
| Pittsfield | Time Warner Cable | No | No | Yes | | | Duopoly | |
| Plainfield | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | |
| Plainville | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Plymouth | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Plympton | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Monopoly | |
| Princeton | No | No | No | Yes | Yes | Yes | Underserved | Local WISP, but limited coverage reported |
| Provincetown | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Quincy | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Randolph | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Raynham | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Monopoly | |
| Reading | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Rehoboth | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Revere | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Richmond | Time Warner Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Rochester | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Rockland | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Rockport | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Rowe | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | T1 to the town hall |
| Rowley | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | | Duopoly | |
| Royalston | No | No | No | Yes | | No | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Russell | Russell Municipal Cable TV | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Cable is only TV and not broadband |
| Rutland | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | | Duopoly | |
| Salem | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |

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| Town | Cable Company | Cable Overbuild | Fiber to the Premise (FTTP) | DSL | WiFi | Town Hall* | Category | Notes: |
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| Salisbury | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Sandisfield | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | |
| Sandwich | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | | Duopoly | |
| Saugus | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Savoy | No | No | No | No | | Yes | Unserved | |
| Scituate | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Monopoly | |
| Seekonk | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Sharon | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Sheffield | Time Warner Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Shelburne | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Sherborn | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Shirley | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Shrewsbury | Shrewsbury's Community Cablevision | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Shutesbury | No | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Somerset | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Somerville | Comcast Cable | RCN | No | Yes | | Yes | Competitive | |
| South Hadley | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Southampton | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | No | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Southborough | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Southbridge | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Southwick | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Spencer | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Springfield | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Sterling | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Stockbridge | Time Warner Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Stoneham | Comcast Cable | RCN | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Competitive | |
| Stoughton | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Stow | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Sturbridge | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Sudbury | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Sunderland | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Sutton | Charter Communications | No | No | No | | | Monopoly | |
| Swampscott | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Swansea | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Taunton | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Templeton | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | ?? | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Tewksbury | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Tisbury | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Tolland | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | |
| Topsfield | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Townsend | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Truro | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Monopoly | |
| Tyngsborough | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Tyringham | No | No | No | No | | Yes | Unserved | T1 grant funds run out 8/07 |
| Upton | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Uxbridge | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Wakefield | Comcast Cable | RCN | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | | Competitive | |
| Wales | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Walpole | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Waltham | Comcast Cable | RCN | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Competitive | |
| Ware | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | | Duopoly | |
| Wareham | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Warren | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Warwick | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | |
| Washington | No | No | No | No | | Yes | Unserved | T1 grant funds run out 8/07 |
| Watertown | Comcast Cable | RCN | No | Yes | | Yes | Competitive | |
| Wayland | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Webster | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | No | Duopoly | |
| Wellesley | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Wellfleet | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Wendell | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | |
| Wenham | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| West Boylston | Charter Communications | No | No | No | | Yes | Monopoly | |

Where is Broadband available?

Key **Unserved**
Underserved
Monopoly

| Town | Cable Company | Cable Overbuild | Fiber to the Premise (FTTP) | DSL | WiFi | Town Hall* | Category | Notes: |
|------------------|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|-----|------|------------|-------------|---------------------------|
| West Bridgewater | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| West Brookfield | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| West Newbury | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | | Duopoly | |
| West Springfield | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| West Stockbridge | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | No | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| West Tisbury | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Monopoly | |
| Westborough | Charter Communications | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Westfield | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | | Duopoly | |
| Westford | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Westhampton | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Monopoly | |
| Westminster | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Weston | Comcast Cable | No | No | No | | Yes | Monopoly | |
| Westport | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Westwood | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Weymouth | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Whately | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Whitman | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Wilbraham | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Williamsburg | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Williamstown | Time Warner Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Wilmington | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Winchendon | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Underserved | Limited coverage reported |
| Winchester | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Windsor | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | |
| Winthrop | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Woburn | Comcast Cable | RCN | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Competitive | |
| Worcester | Charter Communications | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Worthington | No | No | No | No | | No | Unserved | |
| Wrentham | Comcast Cable | No | Verizon FIOS | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |
| Yarmouth | Comcast Cable | No | No | Yes | | Yes | Duopoly | |

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